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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the references, which are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.

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Applicants are submitting copies of the above-cited references.

Consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested, since the art provided may be material to the examination of the present application as defined under 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

Inasmuch as this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted in accordance with the schedule set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), no statement or fee is required.

Respectfully submitted,

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